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## INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R §§1.97 and 1.98, it is requested that the following references, which are also listed on the attached Form PTO-1449, be made of record in the above-identified case.

- 1. United States Patent No. 5,826,028, dated October 20, 1998, issued to Bennett, et al;
- 2. United States Patent No. 5,859,623, dated January 12, 1999, issued to Meyn, et al.;

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- 3. United States Patent No. 5,996,076, dated November 30, 1999, issued to Rowney, et al.; and
- 4. United States Patent No. 6,035,327, dated March 7, 2000, issued to Buckley, et al.

The references were cited in a Search Report received from the United Kingdom Patent Office dated January 30, 2002. Applicant is submitting copies of the above-cited references, together with a copy of the Search Report. The relevance of the above-identified references has been described in the Search Report.

Inasmuch as this Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted in accordance with the schedule set out in 37 C.F.R.§ 1.97(b), no statement or fee is required.

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